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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF

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Mr. Johnny Reising  
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RE: OSDF Phase III-Cell 1 Final  
Cover Construction

Dear Mr. Reising:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) Responses to Comments and construction quality assurance final report, Phase III-Cell 1 final cover construction, On-Site Disposal Facility (OSDF). The document summarizes U.S. DOE's construction quality assurance activities conducted during the Cell 1 final cover.

The RTC have adequately addressed U.S. EPA's previous comments. The report appears complete and provides a detailed account of the construction quality assurance activities performed during construction of the final cover. Therefore, U.S. EPA concurs with the report.

Please contact me at (312) 886-0992 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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